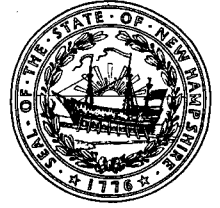




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**LETTER OF DEFICIENCY
WET 2004-50**

September 09, 2004

Mr. Gerard & Ms. Jan Sheehan
PO Box 18
Northwood, NH 03261

RE: DES Wetlands File #2004-01982, 345 Catamount Rd, Northwood, Northwood Tax Map 104, Lot 5

Dear Mr. and Ms. Sheehan:

On September 1, 2004 personnel from the Department of Environmental Services ("DES") conducted an inspection of the above referenced property, more specifically referenced on Town of Northwood Tax Map 104 as Lot 5 (the "Property"). The purpose of the inspection was to determine compliance with RSA 482-A and NH Code of Admin. Rules Wt 100-700.

During the inspection the following deficiencies were documented:

1. Approximately 246' linear feet of a season stream channel and bank had been filled with stone rip-rap

In response, you are requested to take the following actions:

1. By December 10, 2004, submit a restoration plan, drawn to scale, with dimensions showing:
 - a. The existing conditions of the seasonal stream with the rip-rap;
 - b. The proposed conditions after removal of the rip-rap;
 - c. A detailed description of the proposed means of erosion and turbidity control;
 - d. A detailed description of the proposed planting plan for the stabilization and revegetation of the restoration area and control of invasive species;
 - e. A description of the proposed restoration sequence and methods for accomplishing restoration and anticipated restoration completion date;
2. Begin the implementation of the restoration plan only during periods of no or low flow and only after receiving written approval and as conditioned by DES.

RSA 482-A, the New Hampshire Wetlands law, was enacted to protect and preserve wetlands and surface waters from unregulated despoliation. Prior to dredging, filling, or construction in and adjacent to wetlands or surface waters, an individual is required to obtain a permit. If work is done without a permit, this is considered a violation of RSA 482-A. Failure to respond to this Letter of Deficiency in a timely and complete manner may be construed as noncompliance by the receiving party.

DES personnel may conduct another inspection at a later date to determine whether you have come into and are maintaining full compliance with the applicable statute and rules.

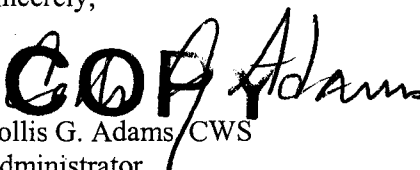
Issuance of this letter shall not preclude further enforcement by DES. Failure to comply with RSA 482-A will result in enforcement by DES, including but not limited to the issuance of fines, administrative orders, or referral to the New Hampshire Office of the Attorney General for prosecution of civil or criminal penalties. If an order is issued to you, it may also be recorded with the Registry of Deeds as an encumbrance against your property.

All documents submitted in response to this Letter of Deficiency should be addressed as follows:

Arlene Allen, Compliance Specialist
Wetlands Bureau
Department of Environmental Services
29 Hazen Drive
PO Box 95
Concord, NH 03302-0095

Should you have any questions regarding this letter, or wish to arrange a meeting, please contact me at (603) 271-4192.

Sincerely,


Collis G. Adams CWS
Administrator
Wetlands Bureau

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cc: Rene Pelletier, Manager, Land Resources Management Program
Gretchen R. Hamel, Administrator, DES Legal Unit
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